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# “LOVE’S WORTH”

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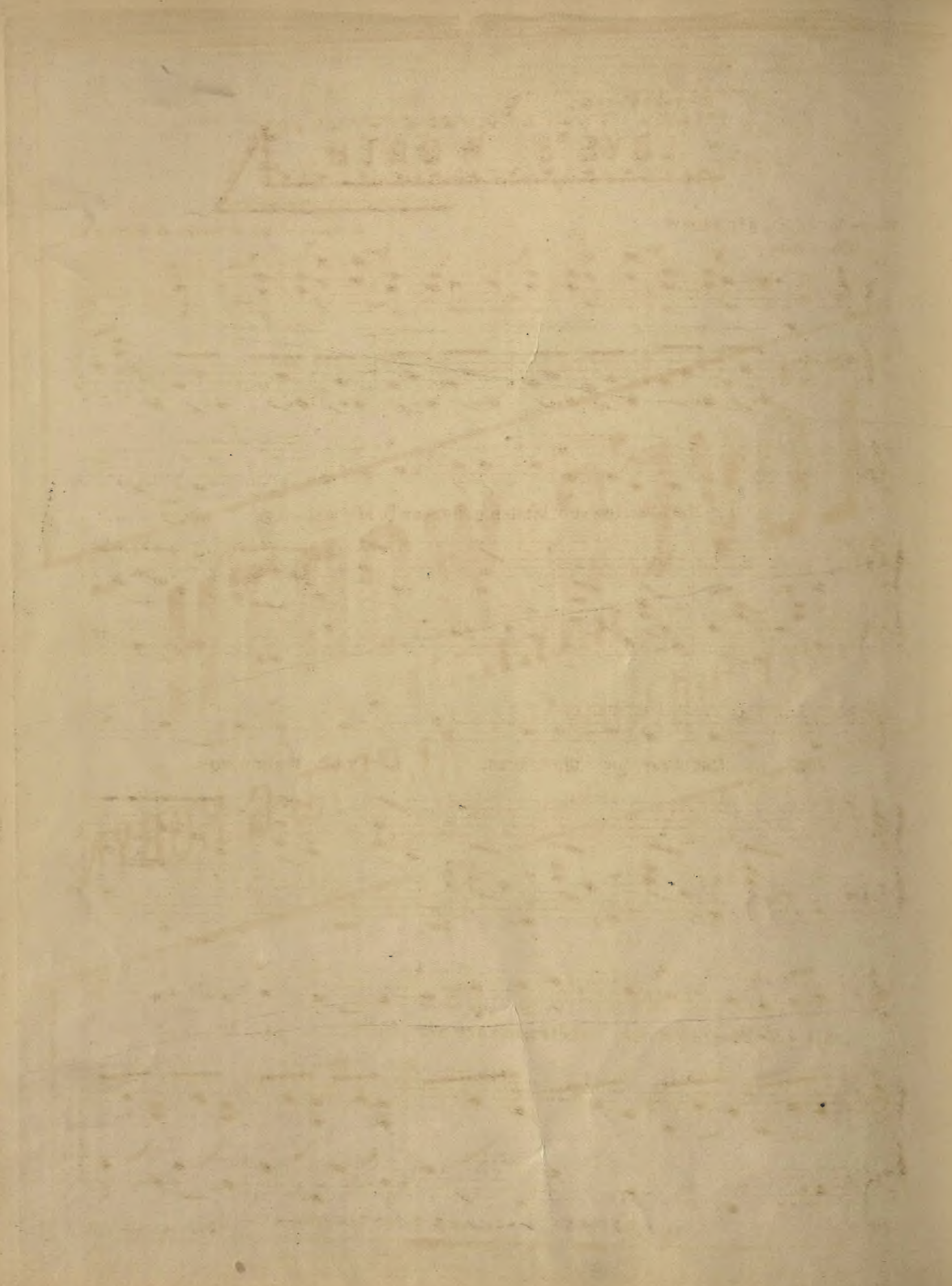
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**LOVE'S WORTH.**  
For Mezzo Soprano or Baritone

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Composed by ALFRED G. ROBYN.

Allegretto.

Piano. *p*

Hark! a lov-er bind-ing sheaves To his mai-den sings,.....

Flut - ter, flut - ter go the leaves,      Larks drop their wings,.....

Lit - tle brooks for all      their mirth are not blithe..... as he.....



*mf*

Give me what the love is worth, That I give thee,.....

*ff* *accel.*

Give me what the love is worth, That I give thee,.....

*mf* *mf accel.* *marcato il Basso.*

That I give thee,..... That I..... give

*allargando.*

thee.....

*f*



Più lento.

Speech that can - not be forborne Tell the sto - - ry thro',..... I

sowed my love in with the corn,.... And they both grew,.....

Count the world full wide of girth, And hived hon - ey sweet,..... But

*f* Con enthusiasm.  
count the love of more worth Laid at thy feet,.....



*p*  
laid at thy feet.....

*p* *rall* *a tempo.*

Mon - ey's worth is house and land,..... Vel - vet coat and vest,.....

*p* *pp rall.*

Love's worth is bread in hand, Aye, and sweet rest;.....

*rall.*

*accel.*

Wilt then learn what love is worth? Ah! she sits a - bove,.....

*mf*



meno mosso.

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Sigh - ing, sigh - ing,

*p* *mf* *p*

acell.

Weigh me not with earth..... weigh me not with earth, Love's worth is

*colla voce.*

love,..... Love's worth,..... is

*fremolo.*

love.....

*ff*



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